Next 30 Days of Season 25

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Celebrate Black History Month

February is Black History Month in the United States. For those who are unfamiliar with what Black History Month is, we hope you will take the time to participate in our Black History Month missions to learn more. It is an occasion for us to amplify Black voices in the gaming community and an opportunity to celebrate our community's diversity.

We have published a blog for Black History Month with stories from the community! Make sure to check the XA Missions page too, so you can unlock Experience Points (XP) for reading and sharing on social media.

#XAFriendship Challenge

This month, grab a friend and take on the #XAFriendship Challenge! Throughout the month of February, we have a special line of missions for Ambassadors to do—with a friend. Play games, unlock achievements, and more, then share your fun on social media with the hashtag.

If you are new to Xbox or your friends are taking a hiatus, don’t worry, you can still participate by making new friends (and get some XP in the process). There will also be missions to share stories about favorite times when you gamed with a friend.

So… what tier are you?

At a third of the way through the Season, it might feel that Ambassadors of a certain level should also be a third of the way to reaching Diamond Tier.

If this is not the case, don’t worry. It’s by design.

First, here is a quick refresher on how XP is accumulated:

- Level 1: No modifier
- Level 2: +5% modifier
- Level 3: +10% modifier
- Level 4: +15% modifier

These modifiers are automatically calculated to display on an Xbox Ambassador’s Mission Cards.

The number of Xbox Community Missions in a month is between two and eight. As a Level 1 Xbox Ambassador, the mission line-up under this category would look like this:

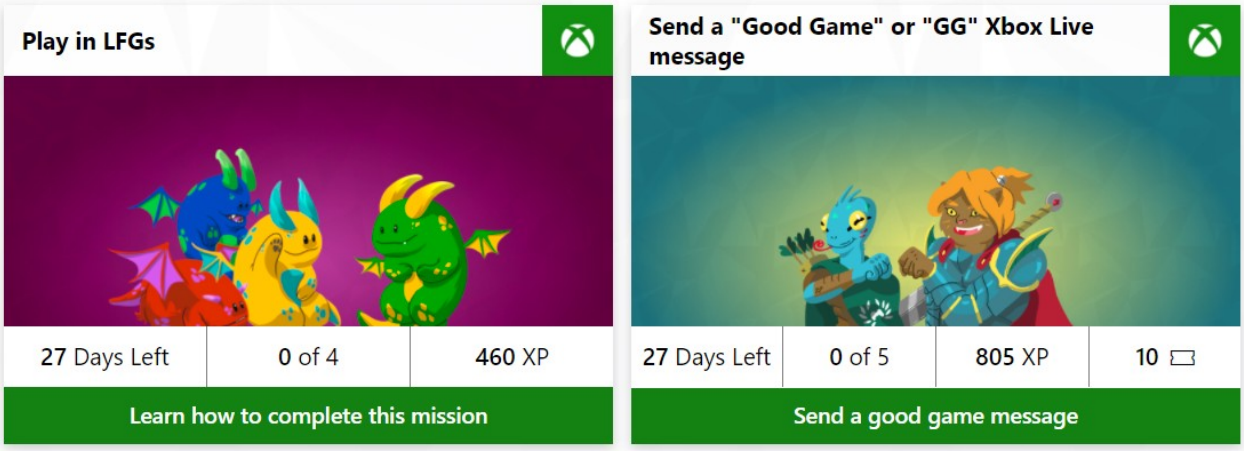
- Play in LFGs (400 XP)
- Send a “Good Game” or “GG” Xbox Live message (700 XP)

Level 2, 3, and 4 Xbox Ambassadors have two of the “Play in LFGs” and “Send a ‘Good Game’ or ‘GG’ Xbox Live message” missions and two of the following:

- Make a New Friendship on Xbox (700 XP)
- Gain a New Follower on Xbox (700 XP)

A Level 1 who did all their Xbox Community Missions would have 1,100 XP by the end of the month, while a Level 2 would have 5,250 XP, Level 3 at 5,500 XP, and a Level 4 at 5,750 XP.

This would put a Level 1 Xbox Ambassador in Silver Tier and a Level 2, 3, or 4 Ambassador into Gold Tier—assuming the only missions Ambassadors did were the Xbox Community Missions.



What other missions are there?

On a weekly basis, there is a Contribute to the Conversation mission that rewards 150 XP and new Share and Discuss missions for the Xbox Game Club at 75 XP each. There are also missions to download and play games featured by the Xbox Game Club at either 100 XP to both download and play the game or 75 XP to play the game on Cloud Gaming and 25 XP to download a local copy from the Store or Game Pass.

With around four featured Xbox Game Club games per month, this brings a Level 1’s new monthly XP total to 2,250 XP.

Throughout the year, there are many other missions Ambassadors can participate in to collect more XP. Some missions may last a month, such as activities to watch a fellow Ambassador interview a game developer. Other missions may last for a shorter time, like those to share content on social media.

So… Is it too late in the season for a Level 1 Xbox Ambassador who is at Silver Tier to hit Diamond?

To reach 15,000 XP by March 31—the last day of Season 25—the Ambassador in question would need to complete enough missions to get at least an additional 14,000 XP. It is possible!

However, it would depend on whether this Level 1 Ambassador has any previous XP from past Seasons. When an Xbox Ambassador has unlocked a total of 8,000 XP from when they first joined, they progress from Level 1 to Level 2. Meaning the Ambassador will now have more mission opportunities to collect XP and receive that +5% modifier. The Ambassador in question should also complete some of the extra missions outside of the Xbox Community Missions, Contribute to the Conversations, and Xbox Game Club Missions.

Keep going! It is not too late. And, more importantly, even if it were, there is *always* another Season.

Do you have other questions about how things work in the Xbox Ambassadors Program? Check out the XA Handbook or ask others in the community by joining our Ambassadors-only Discord (invite is on the XA website).